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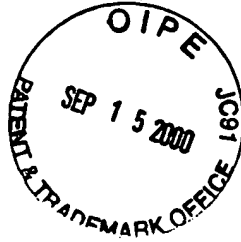
In re Application:

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For: USER-ADAPTIVE VARIABLE-ENVIRONMENT SYSTEM



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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 16, 2000,  
kindly amend the captioned application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims 1, 2, 6, 7 and 11 as follows:

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1 (Amended) A user-adaptive variable-environment system comprising:  
a computer provided with an operating environment and a user recognizing unit; and  
an information storage medium to be applied to the user recognizing unit, the information storage medium being portable;  
wherein the information storage medium stores [user - environment] user-environment information about environment suitable for a user, and the user recognizing unit reads the